TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

AGRICULTURE A

FISCAL NOTE

HB 1218 - SB 2000

March 27, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the transfer of a juvenile from a juvenile court to an adult court if the juvenile commits an aggravated assault on an employee of a juvenile detention facility where the juvenile has been committed or confined. Facilities include either a Department of Children's Services (DCS) facility or one under contract with DCS.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The number of juveniles who will be transferred is unknown; however the number is estimated to be not significant. Any fiscal impact on the Department of Correction and DCS has been estimated by these departments to be not significant.
- No significant increase in incarceration costs or on the number of youth in DCS custody.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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